



# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

A.J.M. Garwood

Attorney Docket No.: CRSL115949

Application No.: 09/724,287

Group Art Unit: 1761

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Title:

PRODUCTS, METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR FRESH MEAT

PROCESSING AND PACKAGING

# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Seattle, Washington 98101

April 16, 2004

#### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

#### Amendment Transmittal A.

Transmitted herewith is a supplemental amendment in the above-identified application. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

#### COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims		Highest						
	Remaining		Number						
	After		Previously		Present				Additional
	Amendment		Paid For		Extra		Rate		Fee
Total Claims	87	-	265	=	0	Х	9	=	0
Independent Claims	13	-	105	=	0	X	43	=	0
	TOTAL								\$0

## B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

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# MAIL STOP NON-FEE **AMENDMENT**

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#### SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT E TO THE AMENDMENT D FILED ON APRIL 14, 2004

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#### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

### **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Please add the following claims.